SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

deep;
And fragile blows the pale dog-rose
Under a copse's les;
But the thisties stand on the open land
Fearless, and fine to see.

Let lavish roots endure to grow.
By permit in a planted row;
Like fools that sacrifice their summers.
To grind the money mills of commerce.
Some day of ruth they see the truth,
Which is from the beginning.
Freedom and health are all the wealth
That's fairly worth the winning.

So you, my, freemen of the field,

Fit blazon of the Highland shield,
My handsome idiers of the plain

That live for living, not for gain,
With bristled Foints and armored joints

Sell dear your lives, and whom
Sharp sickles shall win to wear

The royal purple plume.

Taylor—Jackson.

A very pretty marriage was celebrated at 3:30 P. M., August 15th, in the Baptist Church Church at Cartersville, Va., when Miss Dimple Jackson Moon, of Cartersville, was given in marriage to Mr. Samuel Taylor, of Beach, Va.

The clurch was cavased in white, the color scheme being developed in green and gold.

Proceding the caremony, the air "O. Proceding of White orope de chine over taffeth. This party entered as follows: Misses Meland Irving and Vivian Duncan, Messra. Grover Perdue and Raleigh Beloher; Misses Mabel Taylor and Eloise Gill, Messra. Henry Perdue and Edward Beloher; Misses Lucile Moon and America Seay, Messra. Floyd Moon and Frank Irving.

The bride, who came next, were a traveling coetume of Alice blue Pansama cloth, built on silk, and worn with hat and gioves to harmonize. She was accompanied by her sister and matron of honor, Mrs. M. L. Dumcan, in white silk crepe. At the altar, the groom awaited his bride with his best man, Mr. Howard Taylor, of this city.

The ceremony was impressively performed by the Rev. Ryland T. Sandford, et Hamilton, Vas. brother-in-law of the

ington, Baltimore and the Northern cities.
Those attending the wedding from a distance were the Rev. and Mrs. Ryland T. Sandford, of Hamptoni Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Seay, of Scottsville; Miss Mary Pitts, of Elk Hill; Miss Irving Moon, of West Virginia; Miss Eloise Gill, of Norfolk, Miss Irene Baber and Miss America Seay, of Shore's; Mossirs Grover and Henry Perdue, of Raleigh, and Edward Belcher, of Bach, and Mr. Howard Taylor, of Richmond, Va.

Poems You Ought to Know.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Ellot Norton.

No. 902.

AVARICE.

(From "The Faerle Queene.")

By EDMUND SPENSER. The biographical sketch of this author has already been published in this series.

And greedy Avarice by him did ride.

Upon a camel laden all with gold;

Two iron coffers hung on either side,

With precious metal full as they might hold;

And in his lap a heap of coin he told;

For of his wicked pelf his God he made,

And unto hell himself for money sold;

Accursed usury was all his trade; Accursed usury was all his trade; And right and wrong alike in equal balance weighed.

His life was nigh unto death's door placed,
And threadbare coat and cobbied shoes he ware;
Ne scarce good morsel all his life did taste;
But both from back and belly still did spare, But both from book and riches to compare;
To fill his bags, and riches to compare;
Yet child nor kinsman living had he none
To leave them to; but thorough daily care
To get, and nightly fear to lose, his own,
He led a wretched life unto himself unknown.

Most wretched wight, whom nothing might suffice,
 Whose greedy lust did lack in greatest store,
 Whose need had end, but no end covetize,
 Whose wealth was want, whose pienty made him poor,
 Who had enough, yet wish-ed evermore;
 A vile disease; and eke in foot and hand.
 A grievous gout tormented him full sore,
 That well he could not touch, nor go, nor stand,
 Such one was Avarice, the fourth of this fair band.

This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, Oct. 11, 1903. One is published each day.

the Confederacy; Mrs. Leiper Robinson, recording secretary, Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

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The Anonorary presidents of the Virginia Division of United Daughters of the Confederacy are Mrs. James Mercer Garnett, Mrs. Phill Tabb Yeatman, of Norfolk; Miss Mary Amelia Smith, of Warrenton; Mrs. William Mahône, of Petersburg; Mrs. J. E. B. Bluart, of Norfolk, and Miss Sally Tompkins, of Richmond. Officers of the division are: Mrs. William R. McKenny, of Petersburg; Mrs. C. B. Tate, of Pulaski, and Mrs. Lucy Lee Hill Macgill, also of Pulaski, first, second and third vice-presidents; Mrs. Leiper Robinson, of Bowling Green, recording secretary; Mrs. James B. Corresponding secretary; Mrs. James B. Corresponding secretary; Mrs. James B. Corresponding secretary; Mrs. James B. Colavander, of Alexandria, treasurer; Mrs. Cabell Smith, of Rocky Mount, fourth vice-president and general inspector of chapter; Miss Elvira Jones, of Roanoke, registrar; Mrs. J. Enders Robinson, of Richmond, historian, and Mrs. J. H. Timberlake, of Altee, custodian.

Engagement Announced.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Ragiand, of Petersburg, Va., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Leila Bowyer, to Dr. Lewis Duval Pflicher, the wedding to take place September 25th, in Grace Episcopal Church, Petersburg.

Mrs. William R. McKeeney, president, in with Mr., Eugene Johnston and Miss Mrs. William R. McKeeney, president, Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy; Mrs. Leiper Robinson, recording secretary, Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy.

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Annual Convention.

The annual convention of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Southwest Virginia Lutheran Synod will be held in St. Mark's Church, Roanoke, beginning next Monday afternoon and continuing until Wednesday.

Addresses from the Rev. C. L. Brown, of Japan, and others will be the attractions for Monday and Tuesday evenings. The president of the Society, Mrs. L. A. Fox, the first vice-president, Mrs. W. F. Morehead; the chairman of the literature

Morehead; the chairman of the literature committee, Mrs. S. Evans and Mrs. L. V. Vance and J. O. Kizer, delegates, will be among those in attendance.

Perdue, of Raleigh, and Edward Beicher, of Beach, and Mr. Howard Taylor, of Richmond, Va.

Cards have been received by friends in Richmond, from Mrs. Sterling Johnston.

The following officials notice has been received by the prosident of Richmond, from Mrs. Sterling Johnston, announcing the marriage of her faughter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, The notice says:

The fourth annual convention of the Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will be held in Wythoville, Wednesday, October 19, 1990.

All chapter presidents are requested to cause delegates to be elected to that convention, as well as delegates to the general convention, United Daughters of the Confederacy, to be held in Guilport, Miss., November 14, 1906.

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Society Gossip.

Lady Cooke, who previous to her marrying an Englishman of rank, was Miss Tennessee Claffin, of New York, will return to this country in September, for the purpose of organizing a large number of social and political clubs for women and pressing forward the question of woman's suffrage.

Mrs. Howard Gould is superintending improvements now being made on her Blue Gap farm, near Boonsboro, Va. She arrived in Lynchburg from New York, accompanied only by her madd, and spent some time at the Hotel Carroll

York, accompanied only by her maid, and spent some time at the Hotel Carroll before going on to the farm.

The arrival of Baron Basil Kroupensky, the recontly appointed counselor of the Russian Embassy, has been noted with interest in the social and diplomatic circles of Washington, The Baron is very accomplished, has been steward of the Czar's household, and is unmarried.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Joseph E. Willard, with her children and their governess, salis this week on the Victoria Augusta of the North Hamburg Line, from New York for Germany, to spend some months.

Miss Elsie Hamilton has returned to the city, and for the remainder of the sum-mer will be with her sister, Mrs. L. L.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Kennedy are visiting the family of Hon. D. R. Lucas at "Rion Hall," near Charlestown, W. Va.

Old soldiers' day at the Loudoun camp meeting next Monday will be rendered interesting by speeches from Senator John W. Deniel and Dr. J. W. Duney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Todd have re-Mrs. John W. Todd, in Staunton.

Misses Annie and Katherine Hoge, who have been spending a delightful summer with relatives in Kentucky, are now visiting Mrs. John B. Hoge, in Staun-

A latter dated August 6th and A latter dated August 6th and received by Petersburg relatives of Hon.
Francis Rives Lassiter, who is in Europe with Dr. E. L. Moolil, said that Mr. Lassiter would have an interview with Pope Plus on the afternoon of the day the letter was written.

Mrs. Frank Montgomery and family are the guests of Mrs. Montgomery's sister, Mrs. J. C. Avis, at Berryville. Mrs. Maria K. Daniel has gone to Char-

leston, W. Va., after spending time in Richmond.

Derefathers' Day, the 22d of December next. The address will be delivered if New York dity, and other prominent speakers will include the General of the Army, the Admiral of the Navy, and the Governor of Massachusotts.

Miss Langhorns Cosby is visiting Mrs. John S. Wright, of Lynchburg, Vs.

President and Mrs. Alderman, who are now at Lake Placide in the Adirondacks, will not return to the University before September 10th.

Prince Michael Cantacuzene, of Russia, who is the guest in this country of his fether-in-law, Goneral Grant, of the United States army, led the field in the first run of the Monmouth county, R. I., hounds Wedficeday, afternoon. The Princess witnessed the chase from her carriage. . . .

Mr. James H. Gibboney, of Wytheville, Va., former instructor in chemistry at V. P. I., has accepted the position of chief chemist for the Norfolk and West-

ern Railway, Miss Ada Gray, of "Northfield," Cum-berland county, and Miss Polly Robins left for Massanetta on Wednesday last. Mr. W. H. Lamboth has returned from

a three months' trip South.

Mr. Thomas P. Jones has returned from a very pleasant stay at Ocean View Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoge are visiting friends and relatives in Staunton Va.

Mrs. Jeffry Montague has been the guest of friends in Guidestr county Va., during the past week.

The Rev. Dr. E. L. Powell, of Louis-ville, Ky., will spend soveral weeks in Richmond, arriving the latter part of this week, as his friends will be glad to

Mrs. Cora L. Moon, of No. 1023 West Grace Street, who has returned from Virginia Beach, will leave for Minadoka Springs, Craig county, where she will remain until September 15th, or later.

Mr. H. Selden Taylor, Jr., and Mr. Alfred Upshur left this morning to spend a two weeks' vacation at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Yarburough, of Barton Heights, are spending the month at Mount Elliott Springs, Va.

PLAYED "NOSES."

Game Brought On Row in Which Knives and Bricks Figured.

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Walter Thomas and William Bryant, fingre boys, ongsged in a game of cards and the stakes were "noses." The man who won the game had a right to whack the other on his nasal organ three times with the cards he had taken up on the last trick.

Walter but and held out his nose to get it biffed. William ried twice with the cards he had and the smelling organ only got a game, and he gathen the smelling organ only got a game, and he gathen certific swing he almost cut Walter's nose away.

Walter didn't like the performance and drew a knife. William got a rock and shied it at Walter walter doged and then pursuer William with the knife.

In Police Court yesterday morning the love were lined \$2.80 each for being discreety on the street, and selevated.

Lieutenant-General C. Irvine Walker, of Charleston S. C. commanding the United Confederate Veterans of the Department of the Army of Northern Virginia, has appointed Judge Samuel W. Williams, of Wytheville, Judge advocate-general with the rank of colonel, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Colonel J. T. Morehead.

Capitol Policeman George M. (Long Tom) Haynes returned from Southwest Virginia yesterday, bringing three priseners from Wise Courthouse to the pententiary. The men are all white and are in for terms ranging from three to seven years. They are Martin Mullins, three years for bigamy; Clint Kilgore, three years for house-breaking, and James B. Caldwell, seven years for embezzlement.

Governor Gienn, of North Carolina, has honored the requisition of Governor Swanson for one Jessie Ruffin, a negro who is wanted in Prince Edward county for murder.

Buyers Coming In.

Nearly all the hotels of the city are crowded with buyers from Virginia and the Carolinas, who are here to lay in their fall stocks of goods. The wholesale people are having a busy time of it, and they say the outlook is good for the

wonderful CURES effected by THE MECKLENBURG MINERAL WATERS, Chase City, Va.

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Having spent some time as resident physician at two of the most popular springs in the South, and having lived near Chuse City all my life, I think I may be allowed with some confidence to express the opinion which I have, that the location of a modern sanatorium at Chuse City would, win greater success than at any place with which I am acquainted in the South. I am.

Very truly yours,

(Signel A. S. PRIDDLY, M. D.,
Late Vice-President Virginia Medical Society, and Momber of State Medical Examining Board.

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Workmen Plunge Through Darkness for Air Lock as Roof Caves and Water Rushes In.

ALMOST DROWN UNDER RIVER

Tube Below Battery Suddenly Fills and Lights Go Out-300 Feet from the Door.

NEW YORK, August 18.—Fleeting for their lives, stumbling over timbers in the pitchy darkness, and up to their armpits in surging waters, the night shift of workmen struggled desperately to save themselves in the north tube of the East River tunnel below so Battery yesterday morning. The compressed air had blown out a section of the roof at the heading, letting the flood into the shield and threatening all with death in the black-trap under the bottom of the river.

the heading, letting the flood into the shield and threatening all with death in the black-trap under the bottom of the river.

When the crew of some thirteen men working in the advanced position, a few minutes past midnight, received the first premonitions of danger they ran toward an air look three hundred feet away. They felt the air pressure under which they were working suddenly the they were working suddenly the they was a serious leak. Within a minute a big section of the roof was disintegrated and the water came tumbling in. The men knew then that if they could reach the air lock and the door could be closed the rising flood would be kept at bay until they reached the outer air.

As they stumbled over the impediments strewn in their way the water rose steadily, and the lock tender urged them to swifter efforts. To add to their terror and danger, the electric lights were put out, and the men groped their way in darkness. They reached the shelter of the tiny door in the face of the air look none too soon, and were hauled in, one by one, by the lock tender. The door was fastened and the half-drowned men made their way as rapidly as possible into the upper regions.

It was discovered yesterday after a thorough examination by the engineers of the tunnel and Alfred Craven, deputy other engineer, of the Rapid Transit Cobmission, that the break was due to the sagging of the tube in soft and yielding mud. Only recently solid rook was left behind. The sinking of the heavy iron ringe left a face space between the mud and the roof of the tube, and the compressed air, seeking an opening, rushed in there and blew out a hole into the river bottom.

While Mr. Brown, superintendent of the tunnel, was inclined not to regard the break as of serious consequence, and assured inquirers that the trouble would be mended within a day or two. Then the water must be pumped out."

Mennwhile work in the table is entirely suspended.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special in The Times Discotch.)

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NEW YORK, August 18.—Waldorf, J.

S. Williams: Manhattan, G. D. Cannon and wife; Marborough, B. Tucker, H. Tucker and D. E. Coyler Victoria, G. W. Poe and J. Ewing and wife; Breslin, A. Cameron, Jr.; Imperial, S. F. Guggenheimer; York, J. K. Fisher and wife; Albemarie, A. Anderson, Jr.; Holel Astor, R. D. Morgan and S. H. Gunderand wife.



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Thistle Song.

Brief is the siender harebell's hour,
Frail the wild arum's hiding flower;
Let but the sophyr stir in sleep,
The wind-flowers do him reverence

-London Spectator.

Taylor-Jackson.

Taylor, of this city.

The ceremony was impressively performed by the Rev. Ryland T. Sandford, of Hampton, Va., brother-in-law of the groom, assisted by the bride's pastor, the Rev. J. L. Stinson. During its progress "Hearts and Flowers" was rendered by Miss Mary Pitts, of Elk Hill, Va., who had charge of the music.

The ushers were Messrs. Frederick Rhodes and Earle Purrish; the ribbon-bearers, little Miss Virginia and Master A. L. Seay, Jr., of Shore's, Va. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Taylor came to Richmond by the afternoon train. From Richmond they went to Hampton, Washington, Baitimore and the Northern cities.

Those attending the wedding from a discusse.

It's a Bit

to orden around and boss free Americans | believe in the old d and bullyrag them if they don't obey is for free "orders" without question.

The labor trust leaders tried by threats

and other measures to bully members of

Congress into passing some laws for the benefit of the labor trust, but not in the interests of the people at large. They were told they didn't represent all the people.

Quite a little chore.

trust Americans and about 2 millions lahor drust members, many of them held by dorce. Naturally every gain of either money or advantage for the members of any trust must be absorbed from the "common" persons outside the trust. Every

There happen to be 78 millions anti-

trust must fatten by feeding off "out-Think it over a moment and see if

The beef trust raises the price of meat Who pays the raise? The labor trust raises the price of inbor, and we don't object to that in reason, but who pays the raise? The

oil trust tries to freeze out a citizen who

starts in an independent oil business. Why? So it can rule and have its own

way and make the people outside the oil trust "obey" and pay toll.
The labor trust tries to force an antiinjunction bill through Congress to prevent courts from issuing restraining orders or injunctions, so it can be free to attack property or independent men

of a Job

But this biggest of all trusts, the labor

trust, assumes to itself the right to rule the balance of the people and make them pay tribute to it for the further fattening principally of the leaders, and incident-ally of the humbler members. So, having been restrained by Con-Bo, having been restrained by Congress, the labor leaders now propose to go into politics and elect labor trust members to rule the balance of us.

Such massing of class or trust power in the hands of a few men is exceedingly dangerous for the safety of the commo There is but one safe procedure. Elect men who do not represent any trust, but stand steadfast for the citizens, the 100

per cent., the whole people, and not the few trust members who seek to feed off the many.

What could be expected of a labor trust City Council, Legislature or Congress but to enact strict labor trust laws. We need anti-trust representatives in

large.

Don't fall to question your candidates.

"Do you stand for the trusts, either of labor or capital or will you represent the best interests of the people?"

Don't permit any cowardly excuses, but demand to know.

This is a trust burdened age, but the people's prosecuting officers are trying to protect the people, and will no doubt soon turn their attention to prosecution of the labor trust lenders for their many conspiracles and overt acts against the citizens.

Think over this trust quostion and "lot the little Light of Reason burn," Give the public a clear analysis of facts and they will do the rest.

when the protection of the courts is with drawn, and thus terrorize the people and make them "obey" the trust leaders and powent every independent American from selling his labor at all, even though his family may be starving.

You are ordered to refuse any labor but that sold by the labor trust, and not that sold by the labor trust, and not the trust and any article of merchandise unless it bear the "union label," the trade-mark of the trust.

Some of the most irksome tyrannicating outrages are put upon citizens who

Mrs. James A. Monoure and children and Mrs. Herbert Gray are spending Au-gust in the home of Mrs. Ficklin, near Fredericksburg.

Judge Advocate-General.

Prisoners Brought In.

Will Bring Ruffin Back.

for murder.

The man will be brought back to Virginia to-day.

Watch This Column Daily for a NEW TESTIMONIAL as to the

Others tell what their waters are;

Dr. A. S. Priddy, Member Virginia State Board Medical Examiners, etc., writes: I take great pleasure in testifying to